



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP NO. 2873

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
| MAKOTO MISAKA |) | Examiner: W. Choi |
| Appln. No.: 09/576,297 |) | Group Art Unit: 2873 |
| Filed: May 23, 2000 |) | |
| For: ZOOM LENS, AND IMAGE PICKUP |) | August 29, 2003 |
| APPARATUS AND IMAGE |) | |
| PROJECTION APPARATUS USING |) | |
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Introductory Comments

In response to the final Official Action dated May 29, 2003, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: